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Buying Green

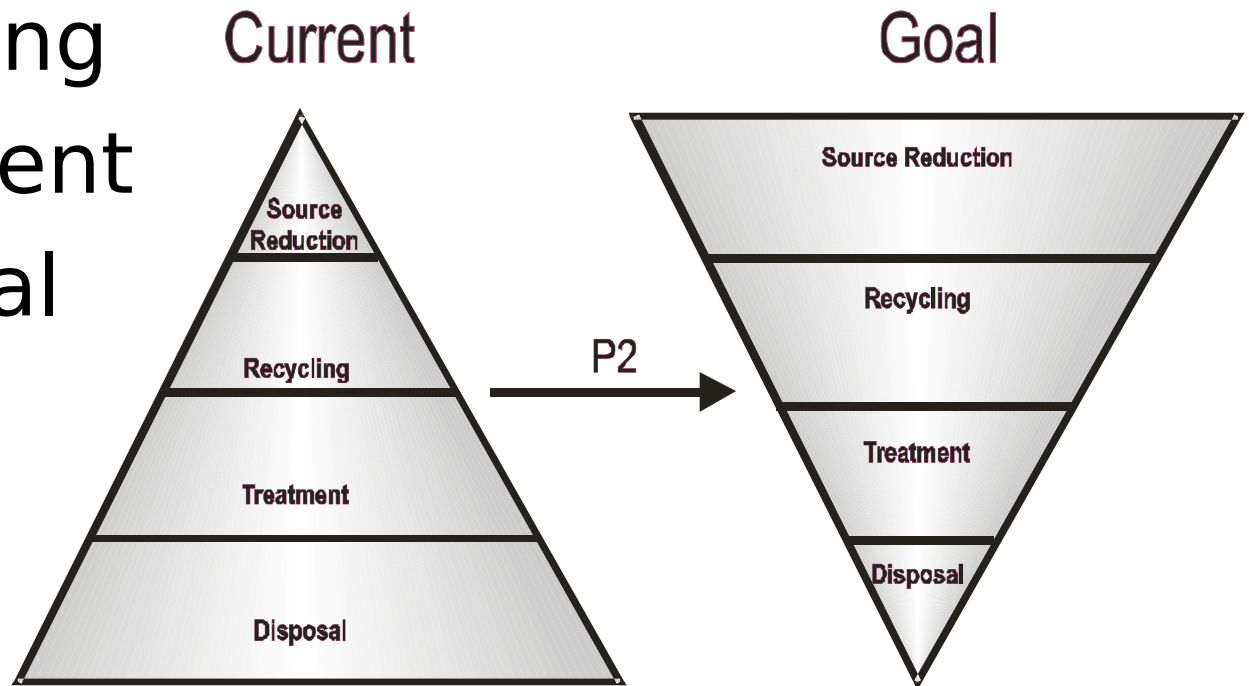
A Multifunctional Approach to
Pollution Prevention

Pollution Prevention Act

National policy to reduce pollution at its source.

Pollution Prevention Hierarchy

- Source Reduction
- Recycling
- Treatment
- Disposal



It's not easy being green



Acquisition's Goal

Government has an obligation to set a positive example by

- reducing unnecessary waste
- conserving energy
- recycling
- buying recycled content products
- preventing pollution
- creating markets for environmentally preferable products and technologies

Teaming for Effective P2

- Developing specifications
- Establishing environmentally friendly evaluation criteria
- Utilizing research and developing resources

Developing Specifications

FAR Part 7 and Part 36 promote the use of

- recovered materials
- environmentally preferred products
- energy-efficient products, and
- renewable energy technologies.

Creating the Solicitation

- Acquisition Item Description (AID)
- Provisions and Clauses
- Evaluation Criteria

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- B12F—EPA-Designated Product(s)
Line:
- B12G—Recovered Material Clauses

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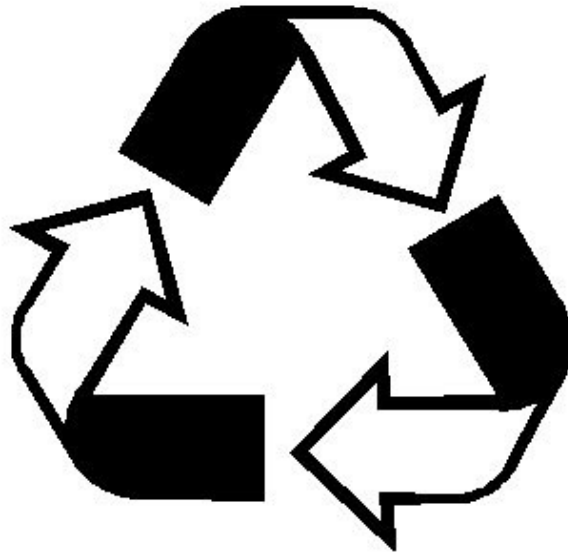
Hazardous waste



**Resource Conservation and
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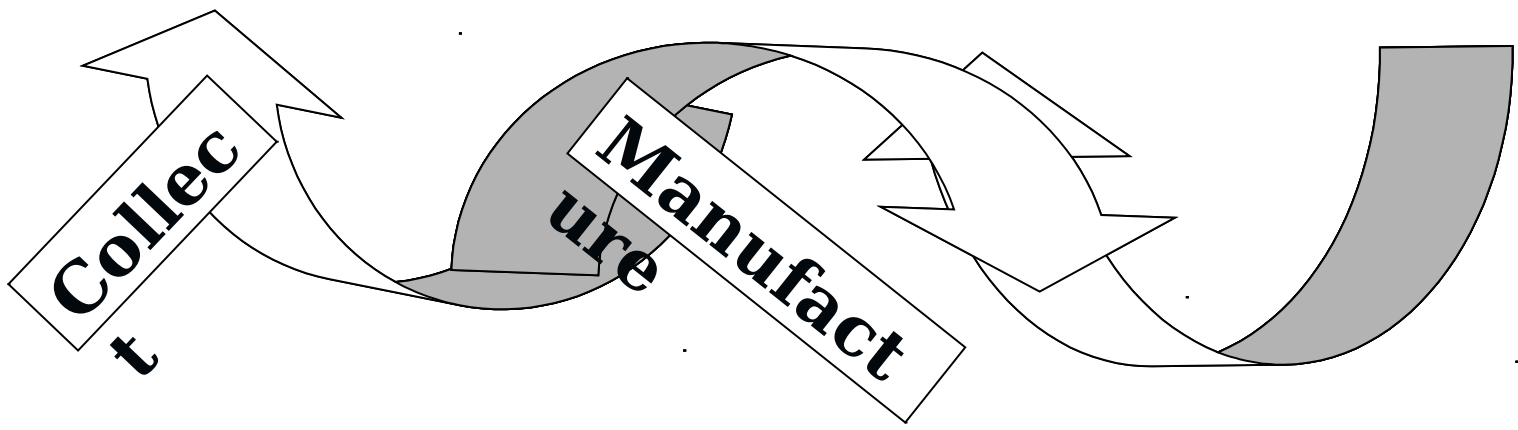
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Manufacture

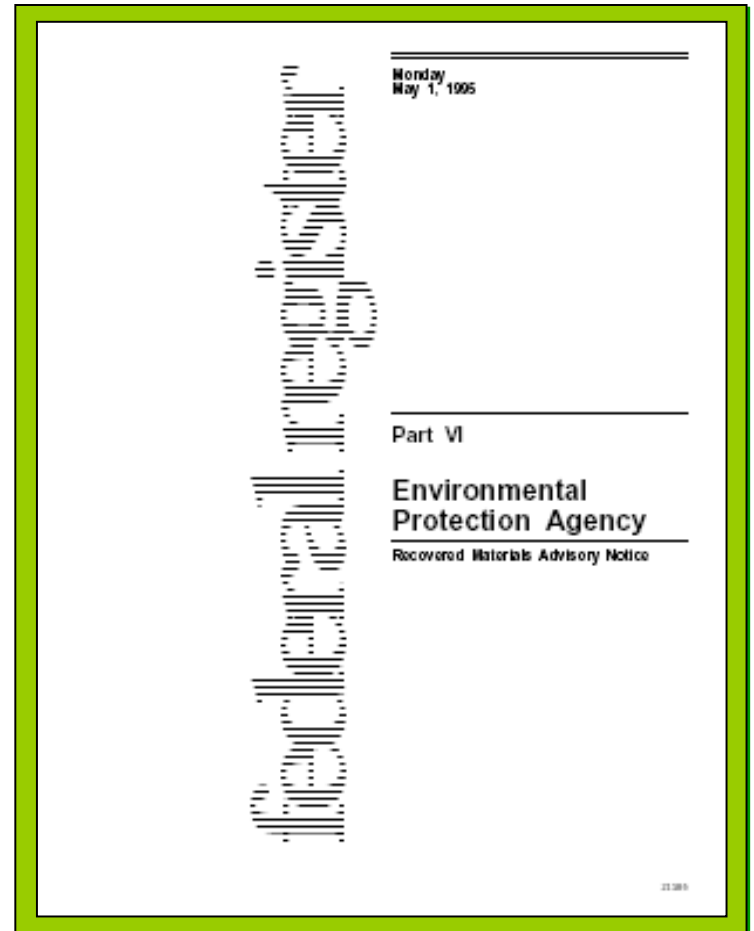
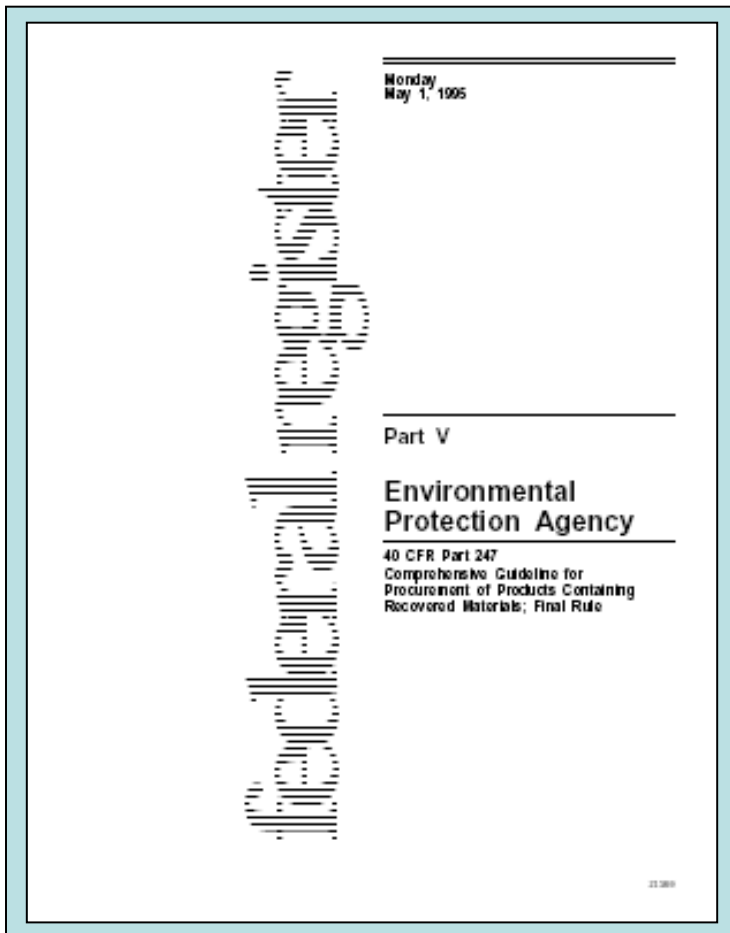


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Purchase



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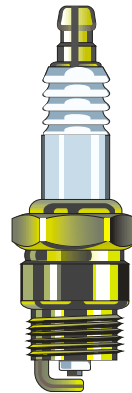
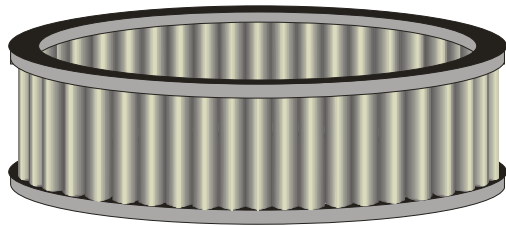
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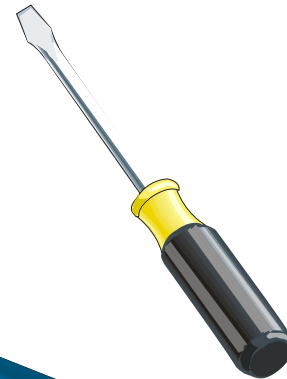
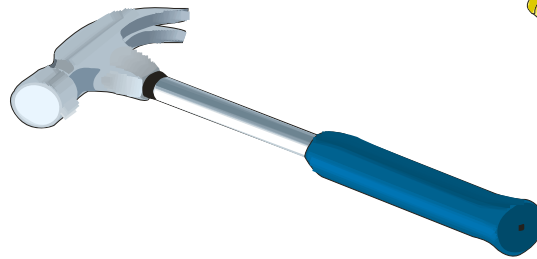
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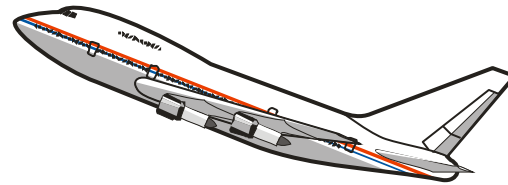


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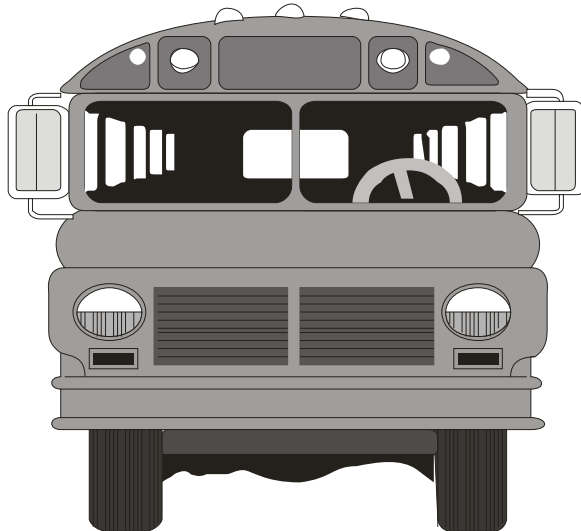
Construction Products



Part D



Transportation Products



Part E

Park and Recreation Products



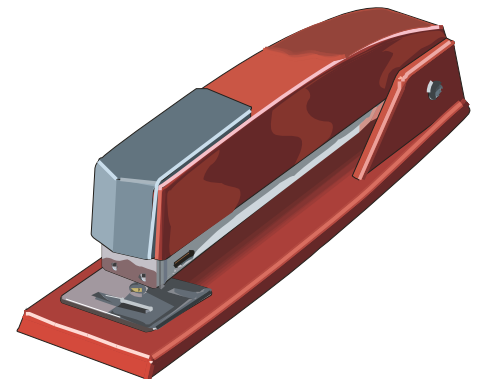
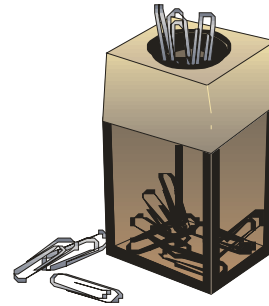
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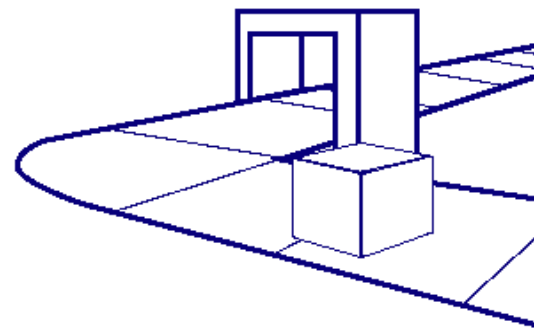
Supplier Database

Propose a Product

Products

A key component of the CPG program is EPA's list of designated products and the accompanying recycled-content recommendations. EPA has already designated or is proposing to designate the products listed below. They are grouped into 8 categories:

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EPA also published final or proposed recycled-content recommendations for each item. All proposals, designations, and recommendations are published in the *Federal Register*.

This Web site contains a brief description for each of the designated products listed below. You also can view EPA's recommended recycled-content ranges and access a [Supplier Database](#), which includes manufacturers, vendors, and suppliers for each item.

Construction Products

Designated:

[Building insulation products](#)
[Carpet](#)
[Carpet cushion](#)
[Cement and concrete containing:](#)

Proposed:

Cement and Concrete containing:
 -Cenospheres
 -Silica fume
 Modular threshold ramps



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Paper and Paper Products - General Information

paper and paper products



The CPG covers the grades of paper and paperboard most frequently purchased by government agencies.

- [Product Information](#)
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Product Information:

Click on each of the following CPG designated paper and paperboard categories for EPA's purchasing guidance, lists of suppliers, and other related information:

- [Printing and Writing](#)
- [Newsprint](#)
- [Commercial/Industrial Sanitary Tissue](#)
- [Paperboard and Packaging](#)
- [Miscellaneous](#)

[Database of Manufacturers and Suppliers](#)

This database identifies manufacturers and suppliers of paper and paper products containing reused or recovered materials.

Recommended Recovered Materials Content Ranges:

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Commercial/Industrial Sanitary Tissue

paper and paper products



Sanitary tissue products include bathroom and facial tissue, paper towels, napkins, and general-purpose industrial wipers. They are generally sold in rolls or sheets and are used in personal care, food service, and cleaning applications. The grades of sanitary tissue products covered in the CPG are manufactured for use by restaurants, hotels, schools, government agencies, and other similar commercial and institutional buyers. Some recycled-content sanitary tissue products are softer, stronger, and more absorbent than others.

- [Recommended Recovered Materials Content Ranges](#)
- [Product Information](#)

EPA's Recommended Recovered Fiber Content Levels for Commercial/Industrial Sanitary Tissue Products

Item	Postconsumer Fiber (%)	Recovered Fiber (%):
Bathroom Tissue	20-60	20-100
Paper Towels	40-60	40-100
Paper Napkins	30-60	30-100
Facial Tissue	10-15	10-100
General Purpose Industrial Wipers	40	40-100

NOTE: The content levels should be read as X% recovered fiber, including Y% postconsumer fiber and not as X% recovered fiber plus Y% postconsumer fiber.



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Respecting the environment is just good business

Executive Order 12873, issued by former President Clinton in October, 1993, mandated that the Federal government take specific steps to become more environmentally friendly with regard to acquisition, recycling and waste prevention.

Since the order was issued, UNICOR has taken dramatic steps to move all its manufacturing efforts into compliance with the order. And in so doing, we've come to an eye-opening conclusion: what's good for the environment is also good for business.

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The JWOD Program creates jobs and training opportunities for people who are blind or who have other severe disabilities, empowering them to lead more productive and independent lives. Its primary means of doing so is by requiring Government agencies to purchase selected products and services from nonprofit organizations employing such individuals.



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NSN/Mfr. Part No	Product	Price / Delivery	Qty
9310-01-083-5211	Cover Paper Vermilion Red, Size: 8-1/2 x 11", Durable, vellum-finished paper serves as an attractive cover for protecting documents, manuscripts, programs and periodicals. [More product details] Manufacturer: N/A Contractor: GSA [GSA]	\$122.67 BX 2-7 Days	<input type="text"/> Add to Cart
0540-01-055-6124	Paper Towels	\$43.20 BX	<input type="text"/> Add to Cart

Environmental Products

The Defense Logistics Agency has hundreds of environmental products in its supply system ranging from citrus-based degreasers and complete antifreeze recycling systems to natural resource conservation products.

Purchasing these products can help you meet your organization's goals in reducing hazardous waste; eliminating use of ozone-depleting chemicals; protecting your employees, and saving money.

Many different units of issue are available to help ensure you buy only what you need. Most of these items can be shipped directly from the supplier to your location.

DLA has done the cataloging, item management and contracting for you and can ensure you receive the benefit of its purchasing power.

This catalog is divided into broad headings describing the types of products to assist you in selecting possible alternatives to hazardous chemicals or processes in use now.

Written Justification

The written justification must state that the product is unable to be acquired:

- Competitively
- At a reasonable price
- To meet reasonable performance standards

E.O. 13101

Federal Register

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Wednesday, September 16, 1998

Presidential Documents

Title 3—

Executive Order 13101 of September 14, 1998

The President

Greening the Government Through Waste Prevention, Recycling, and Federal Acquisition

Environmentally Preferable Purchasing

- What is "environmentally preferable?"
"...products or services that have a lesser or reduced effect on human health and the environment when compared with competing products or services that serve the same purpose..."
- - Executive Order 13101

Environmentally Preferable

- Water Efficient
- Energy Efficient
- Low Standby Power

Environmentally Preferable

- Reusable
- Renewable
- Recyclable
- Recycled

Environmentally Preferable

- Repairable
- Reconditioned
- Remanufactured

Environmentally Preferable

- Biobased
- Biodegradable
- Photodegradable

Federal Logistics Information System



ENAC

- Environmental Attribute Code

DoD Green Procurement Strategy

**Promoting Environmental Stewardship
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GPP Metrics

- DD350
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Green Procurement Report

FY	Qtr	Classification	Category	ENAC	Service/Agency	\$ Green	\$ NonGreen	\$ Total	% Green
2004	2	COMPREHENSIVE PROCUREMENT GUIDELINE	VEHICULAR PRODUCTS	RE-REFINED LUBRICATING OILS	UNITED STATES MARINE CORPS	107406.74	45058.30	152465.04	70
2004	2	COMPREHENSIVE PROCUREMENT GUIDELINE	VEHICULAR PRODUCTS	ENGINE COOLANTS	UNITED STATES MARINE CORPS	31518.78	8932.48	40451.26	78
2004	2	COMPREHENSIVE PROCUREMENT GUIDELINE	PAPER AND PAPER PRODUCTS	COMMERCIAL/INDUSTRIAL SANITARY TISSUE PRODUCTS	UNITED STATES MARINE CORPS	157282.08	40439.15	197721.23	80
2004	2	COMPREHENSIVE PROCUREMENT GUIDELINE	NON-PAPER OFFICE PRODUCTS	TONER CARTRIDGES	UNITED STATES MARINE CORPS	10724.22	1084.20	11808.42	91
2004	2	COMPREHENSIVE PROCUREMENT GUIDELINE	CONSTRUCTION PRODUCTS	LATEX PAINT, CONSOLIDATED AND REPROCESSED	UNITED STATES MARINE CORPS	296.88	0.00	296.88	100
2004	2	COMPREHENSIVE PROCUREMENT GUIDELINE	CONSTRUCTION PRODUCTS	STRUCTURAL FIBERBOARD	UNITED STATES MARINE CORPS	1171.32	0.00	1171.32	100
2004	2	COMPREHENSIVE PROCUREMENT GUIDELINE	LANDSCAPING PRODUCTS	GARDEN AND SOAKER HOSES	UNITED STATES MARINE CORPS	5065.12	0.00	5065.12	100
2004	2	COMPREHENSIVE PROCUREMENT GUIDELINE	MISCELLANEOUS PRODUCTS	MATS	UNITED STATES MARINE CORPS	3716.88	0.00	3716.88	100
2004	2	COMPREHENSIVE PROCUREMENT GUIDELINE	MISCELLANEOUS PRODUCTS	SIGNAGE	UNITED STATES MARINE CORPS	2768.16	0.00	2768.16	100
2004	2	COMPREHENSIVE PROCUREMENT GUIDELINE	NON-PAPER OFFICE PRODUCTS	BINDERS, CLIPBOARDS, FILE FOLDERS, CLIP PORTFOLIOS AND PRESENTATION FOLDERS	UNITED STATES MARINE CORPS	62007.01	0.00	62007.01	100
2004	2	COMPREHENSIVE PROCUREMENT GUIDELINE	NON-PAPER OFFICE PRODUCTS	PLASTIC DESKTOP ACCESSORIES	UNITED STATES MARINE CORPS	13135.55	0.00	13135.55	100
2004	2	COMPREHENSIVE PROCUREMENT GUIDELINE	NON-PAPER OFFICE PRODUCTS	PLASTIC ENVELOPES	UNITED STATES MARINE CORPS	17611.36	0.00	17611.36	100
2004	2	COMPREHENSIVE PROCUREMENT GUIDELINE	NON-PAPER OFFICE PRODUCTS	PLASTIC TRASH BAGS	UNITED STATES MARINE CORPS	185116.38	0.00	185116.38	100
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2004	2	COMPREHENSIVE PROCUREMENT GUIDELINE	TRANSPORTATION PRODUCTS	TRAFFIC CONES	UNITED STATES MARINE CORPS	14546.14	0.00	14546.14	100
						1191488.90	95514.13	1287003.03	



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Notice: Our program has undergone a name change, and will be referred to as the "DLA GREEN PROCUREMENT PROGRAM (GPP)." This description is reflective of recent Department of Defense policy and guidance, and more accurately addresses the generic mission and focus of DLA's environmental initiative, towards populating the Federal Catalog System with "green" alternative products.

New: DOD Green Procurement Policy: Formally establishes the Department of Defense's (DoD) Green Procurement Program (GPP) and provides an agency-wide strategy for implementing an effective program.

New: Biobased Product Submission: USDA is currently in the process of collecting product information to support designation of biobased items. Vendors and Suppliers are encouraged to visit the USDA Biobased Products website to submit or comment on Biobased Product criteria.

New: DLA Approved Environmental Attributes: Only products that meet or exceed one or more of these DLA Approved Environmental Attributes can display the DLA "Green" tree symbol.

New: DLA "Green" Products List: View the latest quarterly report that shows all of the products in the Federal Catalog System that are designated.

ERLS Green Procurement Report (GPR): ERLS is DLA's tool for assisting our customers in pollution prevention and compliance reporting, and provides visibility of total green and non-green procurements from Defense Logistics Agency (DLA) and General Services Administration (GSA)

Do's and Don'ts of Buying Green

Do. . .

- Adopt a green purchasing policy with specific goals and targets and give a copy to all your vendors.
- Commit to purchasing on the basis of life-cycle costs, not purchase price.
- Construct purchasing criteria to favor products that meet the criteria established as important, like high-recycled content or low energy

Do's and Don'ts of Buying Green, continued

Do. . .

- Broadcast your requirements for environmentally preferable products as widely as possible
- Insist on complete disclosure from suppliers and manufacturers regarding chemicals used to manufacture products
- Consider designing specifications to favor companies that will take back goods that have reached the end of their useful lives.

Do's and Don'ts of Buying Green, continued

Don't. . .

- Include contract language that precludes green purchasing.
- Include specifications that are irrelevant for the intended use.

Do's and Don'ts of Buying Green, continued

Don't. . .

- Set short time lines for purchases in which you are trying to reach out to new distributors for EPP. They'll need time to learn to work with you.
- Let preferred vendor contracts exclude environmentally preferable product and service distribution.

